

walst and the gossamer daintl-Now that the chill breezes of Autumn are whisking away the many-hued leaves from the branches of Portland's shade trees, taps have been sounded for the entire Summer wardrobe, which must now go into the lavender scented seclusion of reserve boxes and cedar chests. Already the new Fall and Winter shirtwaists are appearing on the streets, and the local shops and outfitters are making special displays of the new offerings.

The accompanying pictures show a few of the many varieties of Autumn shirtwaists in the new patterns and materials, from the stock of one of Portland's mammoth department stores.

Portland's mammoth department stores. Quite the smartest thing in shirt-waist materials, according to the exclu-sive dealers, are the novelity patterns in French twill and fine batiste, both of which materials are dainty, soft and adde for 'tubbing.' One of the very smartest patterns in French twill is shown in picture No. 2. The pattern is of softly-blended pinkish-gray scripes upon a cream background, and the cut is broad along the shoulder line, with knife plaitings in both back and front from shoulder seam to belt; the sleeves, which are rather scant of cut, are fin-fabled with a narrow cuff of wine-col-ored saitn, and detachable linen cuffs and picture. The collar is of lished with a control being exceedingly shand band, the effect being exceedingly shand picture. The collar is of lished picture scant of saith is work with. with it.

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twilled goods, is shown in No. 1, which twilled goods, is shown in NG. 1, which is a rather daring, but pretty and ef-fective, pattern in plaid. The ground color is a dark green, with blendings of wine red and black, and narrow all lines of camary yellow, forming large diagonal checks. Brass buttons are used at the cuffs and down the front, and a linen collar of the "turn-over" pattern is worn with it, a pretty bow tie of dark red silk adding the finishing touch. Narrow shoulder plaits, ex-tending only half way to the bust line in the front, are used in this pattern. These two waists, and that of churk-

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BT LILIAN TINGLE. M. R.S. B. A. (Portland), writes: "In The Oregonian (October 0) you spoke of a separate saucepan cook two pints of okra. Strain the soup to keep back

good." I do think it good, and here it is: Mutton a la Creole-Saute one table-spoon chopped green pepper and one tablespoon chopped onion in three tablespoons flour and when well mixed one cut brown

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